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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Withdrawn) A method for preparing a hair dermal papilla cell preparation comprising: providing a cell suspension by removing epidermal tissue from skin tissue and subjecting the resulting dermal tissue fraction to collagenase treatment, and cryopreserving the cell suspension to kill the follicular epidermal cells.
2. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the cryopreservation is carried out after adjusting the cell density of the cell suspension to 1×10^5 to 1×10^8 /ml.
3. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the cryopreservation is carried out at a temperature of -80°C or lower.
4. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the cryopreservation is carried out in liquid nitrogen.
5. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the cryopreservation is carried out for a period of 1 week or more.
6. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the skin tissue is from a mouse.
7. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the skin tissue is from a rat.
8. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein the skin tissue is from a human.
9. (Withdrawn) A composition for regenerating hair follicles comprising hair dermal papilla cell and epidermal cells; wherein, the ratio of the number of hair dermal papilla cell to the number of epidermal cells is from 1:10 to 10:1.